

## House Resolution No. 538

**Whereas**, the Missouri House of Representatives is fully cognizant of the important role which the Boy Scouts of America organization plays in offering a well-rounded program of activities designed to prepare young men for the many diverse challenges of responsible citizenship; and

**Whereas**, Gregory E. "Greg" Gentry has been privileged to participate in such activities as a loyal, diligent, and industrious member of Troop 314, which found him worthy to receive the rank of Eagle; and

**Whereas**, Greg culminated his Scouting endeavor with the successful completion of his required Eagle project that took him many hours to plan, organize, and carry out for the overall benefit of others by restoring a steel cross in front of the First Christian Church of North Kansas City; and

**Whereas**, the son of Doug and Gayle Gentry, and the brother of twin sisters, Kelly and Kathy, Greg always took the time and continually put forth the energy to perform his duties in the most efficient and effective manner possible and truly excelled while assuming various leadership positions; and

**Whereas**, Greg has ample reason to be exceedingly proud of his other impressive achievements which include attending three years of summer camp at H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation and earning the Bear Claw, the Perfect Attendance award, the God and Me award, the God and Family award, the Arrow of Light, fifty-one merit badges, the God and Church award, the World Conservation Award, Brotherhood membership in the Order of the Arrow, and the status of Foxman in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say; and

**Whereas**, an eighth grader at Plaza Middle School, Greg has distinguished himself as the first member of his family to attain the rank of Eagle Scout:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, join unanimously in conveying to Greg Gentry a message of appreciation for his steadfast determination to succeed in Scouts, in congratulating him for attaining the rank of Eagle, and in wishing him much fulfillment in pursuing new avenues of challenge in the years ahead; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Gregory E. Gentry.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Susan C. Phillips  
District No. 32

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 538, adopted March 4, 2002.

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Jim Kreider, Speaker